



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 99154
LVM Reference No. 204201

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:

Fang et al.

Art Unit: 2766

Application No. 09/595,227

Examiner: Hadi Shakeri

Filed: June 16, 2000

For: METHOD FOR POLISHING A
MEMORY OR RIGID DISK WITH
A PHOSPHATE ION-
CONTAINING POLISHING
SYSTEM

**TRANSMITTAL OF
APPELLANTS' SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY BRIEF**

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.192, appellants hereby submit Appellants' Supplemental Reply Brief in triplicate.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Appellant

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

2. Oral Hearing

- ☐ Appellant requests an oral hearing in accordance with 37 CFR 1.194.
☐ Appellant requested an oral hearing in accordance with 37 CFR 1.194 at the time appellant filed Appellant's Brief on Appeal.

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I hereby certify that this document (along with any documents referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Appeal Brief – Patents, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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3. Extension of Time

- ☐ Appellant petitions for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$0.00.
- ☒ Appellant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$0.00

4. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Request for Oral Hearing	\$ 0.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$ 0.00

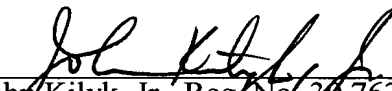
Total Fee Due: \$0.00

5. Fee Payment

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$.
- ☐ Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

6. Fee Deficiency

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached.



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